CLAIMS

- 1. A reinforcing cord for rubber reinforcement comprising reinforcing fibers,
- wherein the reinforcing fibers include polyarylate fibers and a plurality of outer strands that are arranged around the polyarylate fibers, and

the plurality of outer strands include fibers other than polyarylate fibers.

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- 2. The reinforcing cord for rubber reinforcement according to claim 1, wherein the ratio of the polyarylate fibers to the reinforcing fibers is in a range of 20 vol.% to 80 vol.%.
- 3. The reinforcing cord for rubber reinforcement according to claim 1, wherein the polyarylate fibers form a strand of polyarylate fibers.
 - 4. The reinforcing cord for rubber reinforcement according to claim 3, wherein the plurality of outer strands are glass fiber strands.

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- 5. The reinforcing cord for rubber reinforcement according to claim 1, wherein the plurality of outer strands each are primarily twisted.
- 6. The reinforcing cord for rubber reinforcement according to claim 5, wherein the plurality of outer strands are finally twisted, with the polyarylate fibers serving as a core.
 - 7. The reinforcing cord for rubber reinforcement according to claim 1, wherein the plurality of outer strands are formed of fibers having a lower elastic modulus than that of the polyarylate fibers.
 - 8. The reinforcing cord for rubber reinforcement according to claim 1, further comprising a coating film containing rubber, wherein a surface of the reinforcing cord for rubber reinforcement is coated with the coating film.
- 9. A rubber product comprising a reinforcing cord for rubber reinforcement according to claim 1.

- 10. The rubber product according to claim 9, wherein a plurality of reinforcing cords for rubber reinforcement according to claim 1 are arranged and embedded in the form of a sheet.
- 5 11. The rubber product according to claim 9, wherein the rubber product is a rubber belt or a rubber crawler.